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AFTER FINAL AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action dated July 30, 2008. A petition for a three (3) month extension of time to extend the response due date to January 30, 2009, and a request for continued examination (RCE), are submitted herewith. Kindly enter the following:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the claim listing which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.